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In re\ Application of: **Petra Biehl et al.**

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Response to Final Office Action dated April 11, 2008

Sir:

In this paper, we respond to the Final Office Action dated April 11, 2008. We authorize the Commissioner to charge any required fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-5425.

Amendments to the claims commence on page 2 of this paper. We amended certain claims to correct numbering errors without introducing new matter.

Remarks commence on page 6.